

# PLANNING BOARD/ VARIANCE

## **APPLICATION**

### MERCHANTVILLE APPLICANT INSTRUCTION

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING A ZONING REQUEST

NOTE: Assistance can be obtained from Zoning Officer.

- 1. Upon application to the Merchantville Zoning Office, the Zoning Officer will complete a ZONING APPLICATION and give the applicant a packet of application forms. These completed forms, all exhibits, receipt for the prescribed fee(s) must be submitted to the Zoning Office at least thirty (30) days prior to the regularly scheduled monthly meeting of the appropriate Board. Fifteen (15) copies of ALL application data and exhibits must be submitted at this time, unless otherwise noted.
- 2. Within 10 days after submittal, the applicant will be notified if the application is sufficiently complete to be placed on the Board (s) Meeting Agenda for consideration. Notification of an acceptable application will be delivered to the applicant via a NOTIFICATION TO APPLICANT OF PUBLIC HEARING confirming the date and time of the hearing.
- 3. The applicant(s) packet will contain copies of the appropriate forms listed on the attached ZONING APPLICATION FORMS SCHEDULE.
- 4. LIST OF PROPERTY OWNERS TO BE SERVED. This form and information will be provided by the Borough Clerk to identify those property owners within 200 feet of the subject property who must be served notice of the application, hearing date and time.
  - If the subject property is located within 200 feet of an adjacent community, those property owners within the 200 foot radius must also be served. The adjacent community(s) Municipal Clerk will provide the appropriate list and/or form.
- 5. NOTICE OF HEARING TO PROPERTY OWNERS
  - At least 10 days prior to the date appointed for said hearing the applicant shall give notice to all property owners within 200 feet by sending written notice thereof by certified mail to the last known address of the property owners. All addresses shall be obtained from the list of property owners provided by the applicable municipal clerk=s office and given to the applicant on the appropriate form.
- 6. PUBLIC NOTICE
  - The applicant must arrange for publication of the Notice of Hearing in a newspaper of general circulation in the Borough. Presently, THE COURIER POST, and RETROSPECT newspapers. Notice must be published at least ten (10) days prior to the date of the scheduled hearing.

### 7. PLANS / DRAWINGS

Each copy of all required plans and drawings must show an oriented north arrow; property owners name; subject property address, Block and Lot numbers; scale; and name and license number of the party preparing the plans / drawings (if drawn by owner, a DRAWN BY OWNER, statement is sufficient.)

### 8. CONTENT OF NOTICES

All notices to be published and served must state:

- a. The date, time and place of hearing.
- b. The nature of the matter to be considered.
- c. The identification of the subject property by street address, block and lot.
- d. The location and times at which any maps applications and documents for which approval is sought are available.

### 9. AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF SERVICE

The applicant is responsible to present an AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF SERVICE (or form provided by the newspaper) to the Borough Clerk(s) Office at least two (2) days before the date of scheduled hearing.

10. NOTICE OF HEARING TO CLERK OF ADJACENT COMMUNITY If property owners in an adjacent community within 200 feet of the subject are affected, the applicant must notify the adjacent community(s) municipal clerk thereof by certified mail or by handing a copy of the Notice to a municipal official. Applicable plans must be included. If the Notice is served personally, it must be acknowledged by having an official sign in the appropriate location on the listed property owner(s) form.

### 11. NOTICE OF HEARING TO COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

If the subject property fronts on county roadway, or adjoins county owned land or is within 200 feet of an adjoining municipal boundary the applicant must notify the Camden County Planning Board by certified mail, or by handing a copy of the notice to a county official. Applicable plans must be included. If the notice is served personally, it must be acknowledged by having a county official sign in the appropriate location on the listed property owner(s) form.

### 12. NOTICE OF PAYMENT OF TAXES

The applicant shall complete the Property Address, Block(s) and Lot(s) section of this form and have the Borough Clerk certify as to the status of the real estate taxes.

#### 13. RECEIPTS

The applicant(s) submittal must include copies of receipts for all fees paid.

### 14. MEETING DATES AND TIMES

All scheduled Merchantville Board meetings are at 7:30 PM in Borough Hall, Maple Ave. and Centre St. as follows.

# REQUIRED FORMS/DATA FOR USE /OCCUPANCY APPLICATIONS TO BOARD

### FORMS SCHEDULE

Form A194-1 Instructions for Filing Zoning Request
Form ZAT94-1 Zoning Application Transmittal (ZO)
Form AD94-1 Zoning Application Data
Form OCA 94-1 Change of Occupancy Application
Form AFS94-1 Application for Signage
Form COT94-1 Certification of Payment of Taxes (ZO)
Form AC94-1 Zoning Application Certification
Form PHA94-1 Notification to Applicant of Public Hearing-Zoning Board
Form PN94-1 Publication Notice (1 copy)
Form PNH94-1 Notice of Hearing to Property Owners-Planning BD(1 copy )
FormPHAC94-1 Notice of Hearing to Clerk of Adjacent Community-PB
(1 copy ) Form PCPB94-1 Notice of Hearing to County Planning Board - PB (1copy)
Form PAS94-1 Affidavit of Proof of Service -PB (1copy)
List(s) - Property Owners within 200 feet issued by Municipal Clerk(s) (1 copy)
Plot Plan - Drawn to minimum scale of 1"=20' showing the location of all subjec improvements; all adjacent properties; and location, size, capacity and layout (including entrances and exits) of all parking areas, if any.
Floor Plan(s) - 1/4"=1'0" Minimum showing the location and arrangement of all areas, access ways, entranceways, entrances, exits, fire exits, location and arrangement of all equipment, materials storage and receiving /shipping areas.
Plan(s) - Building Elevations for sign and exterior modifications, plans should be drawn to a minimum scale of 1/4"=1'0" showing all changes and addition

	on, rendering, sketch or picture of any proposed changes to the acade(s) of the building.
buile	py of each) Photographs of subject and adjacent properties and lings within a minimum distance of 60 feet in each direction. ographs must be properly identified and referenced on the site
materials similar in	each) Samples are to be submitted of colors, construction, awnings and sign materials and designs. Color photographs of astallations may be exhibited, but actual design representation presented.
	ature or write up describing work information or displays should cluded that clarify visual and physical impact of the project.
Signage Drawing(s	) - Professional Quality Drawings of Signage showing the location and design of all existing and/or proposed signage and lighting.
Receipts - Copies of	f all receipts (1 copy of each)
Other	ρ If applicable to this application

NOTE: THIS PAGE MUST ACCOMPANY COMPLETED APPLICATION

### TRANSMITTAL ZONING APPLICATION

DATE	FILE NO.		
FEE PAID \$	ESCROW PAID \$		
DATE COLLECTED:	CHECK#:	DATE DEPO	OSITED:
	PROCESSING RE	QUIRED BY	
Design Review		Date	
Zoning Board of Adjus	stment	Date	
Planning Board		Date	
Other		Date	
Forwarded herewith are the app concerning:	lication and any sup		Board decision
OWNER	ADDRESS		
BLOCK(S)LOT(S)	ZON	ING CLASS	
APPLICATION FOR			
ORDINANCE(S) AFFECTED_			
REPRESENTED BY		_ RELATIONSHIP	
*********	*******	********	*******
N	ATURE OF APPLI	CATION	

### DISPOSITION

Board	Approved Unconditionally	• •	Disapproved	Remarks	Deferred/
Design Review	<i></i>				
Zoning					
Planning				_	
******		**************************************		******	*****
Permits b	uilding plum	bing electric	fire protect	ct occ/use ce	ert
Borough	zoningoccup	ancy fire ins	pect oth	er	
Zoning Officer_		Rem	arks		

### ZONING APPLICATION DATA \* NAME: INDIV. CORP. PRTNSHP ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ MUNICIPALITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_PHONE: \_\_\_\_ Applicant (s) interest in property (owner, tenant, etc):\_\_\_\_\_ When was property (purchased) (rented) (leased):\_\_\_\_\_ Attorney(s) Name: Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Municipality\_\_\_\_\_ State: Zip: Phone: \* Property Owner:\_\_\_\_\_ Note: If applicant is a corporation or partnership, attach a list of names, addresses and percent of interest of persons having a 10% interest or more. Corporations must be represented by an attorney. Address of affect property:\_\_\_\_\_ Tax Map Sheet \_\_\_\_ Block(s): \_\_\_ Lot(s): \_\_\_ Date filed with County\_\_\_\_ Recorded: Present Zoning Class: Present Use: Proposed Property (use) (change) (alteration): This constitutes: New Application Expansion Alteration Other Subject located on County Road? On State Road? Within 200 ft of another

community? \_\_\_\_

### ZONING APPLICATION DATA CONT.

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side of	St./Ave.,	feet fr	om the	corner	of and
St/Ave. Being the_	cc	rner of	St./Ave	and	Sts./Ave., covering
an area of	(AC) (Sq Ft)	with	LF of frontage	on	of and Sts./Ave., coveringSt/Ave.
Existing Building(s) Number Height		Sq. Ft. Cov	erage Us	e	
Totals:  Totals All Improvem					
Totals All Improven	icits				
Existing Setbacks: I Proposed Setback: I On-site parking space Describe proposed n	Front: Front: Front: New Total	t. Side:Required	Ft. Side:_ l:Propo	Ft.	Rear: Ft.
Estimate costs: Site:	\$ Buil	ding \$	Others: \$	(expl	ain)
Any existing or prop	oosed deed restr	ctions or eas	ements	if ye	es, explain:
Has any construction	n permit ever be	en denied:	Date	if yes	, explain:
Explain in detail the	section of the o	rdinance from	n which relief i	ts requested	d:

### CERTIFICATION

I certify that the statements, information and materials presented as part of this submittal
are true. I further certify that I am the individual applicant or an officer of the corporation
applicant or that I am a general partner of the partnership application. If the applicant is a
corporation, this must be signed by an authorized corporate officer. If the applicant is a
partnership, this must be signed by a general partner.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE	DATE

## BOROUGH OF MERCHANTVILLE ZONING APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

APPLICANT: Name		Relationship	Phone	
Address				
Applicant is:An	Individual	A Corporation	A Partnership	
PROPERTY OWNER (if d		± /		
Name			_Phone	
Address				
********	******	*******	*******	*****
DISCLOSURE STATEME	NT			
N.J.S. 40:55D-48.1 and 48.1	2 requires the d	isclosure of the names a	and addresses of all per	rsons
and corporations or partners	ships owning 10	% or more of 1. the sto	ck in a corporation, or	2. an
interest in a partnership.				
Name	Addre	ess	Interest	%
Name	Addre	ess	Interest	
Name	Addre	ess	Interest	%
(Attach additional pages if	necessary)			
*******	*****	*******	******	*****
ESCROW ACCOUNT				
I hereby place the sum of \$Borough of Merchantville, the cost of extraordinary ex legal and other expenses as application and the publicat process shall be returned to I understand that I will be n the escrow account within for	I further unders penses and prof sociated with the ion of the decise the applicant. I otified of the re	tand that the escrow accessional services include review and/or investigion by the Board. Sums f additional sums are dequired additional amount	count is established to ling engineering, plant gation of the submitted a not utilized in the rev eemed necessary by the	cover ning, d riew e Board,
SIGNATURE OF APPLICA	ANT		DATE	

# BOROUGH OF MERCHANTVILLE CERTIFICATION OF PAYMENT OF TAXES

Property Address:		
Block:	Lot:	
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CERTIFICATION		
This is to certify that t current for the	the real estate taxes for the above referenced propertax year.	rty (are) (are not)
Borough Official		Date

File No.		

## MERCHANTVILLE PLANNING BOARD APPLICATION FOR BULK VARIANCE

### Check applicable items

-		a variance from the strict application of the following ce: ( specify parts of Ordinance involved)	
	Fence	Lot Area or Frontage	
	Setback	Projections	
	Height	Parking	
	Building Area	Other	
	Building Coverage		
2.	Applicant requests a variance to the following extent (set forth specific variances requested).		
3.	The strict application of said provisions would result in: (complete one or both of the following in detail)		
	A. The following peculiar	and exceptional practical difficulties:	
	B. The following exception	onal and undue hardship:	
4.	Said difficulties or hardship are by season of:		
5.		nd peculiar to the lands or buildings which the variance is o land or buildings in the neighborhood, because:	
6.	The requested variance is	the minimum reasonably needed, because:	

# APPLICATION FOR YARD FENCE VARIANCE BOROUGH OF MERCHANTVILLE, NEW JERSEY

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	*****	PROPO:	SED FENCI	******	*******
START DATE:		COMPI	ETION DA	 TE:	
REACH OF FE COMMENTS:_	NCE:	BOA	RD ACTIO	OWNER: N DITIONALLY:	

## MERCHANTVILLE PLANNING BOARD APPLICATION FOR A USE VARIANCE

1. Application is hereby made for the granting of a variance from the Zoning the following structures or uses.	g Ordinance to allow
2. Said structures or uses are proposed to be located in which is restricted against same by the following provisions of Zoning Ordin	Zoning District
3. This application is based upon the following special reasons:	
4. Said reasons are unique and peculiar to the lands or buildings for which the land not generally to land or buildings in the neighborhood, because:	he variance is sought
5. The strict application of the regulations prohibiting said structure or use vapplicant of the reasonable use of lands or buildings involved because:	vould deprive
6. The requested variance is the minimum reasonably needed, because:	

### REQUEST FOR INTERPRETATION

Request is hereby made for an interpretation of the following provisions of the Merchantville Zoning Ordinance and/or Map in an application to the following case (State facts of case, Article and Section of the Zoning Ordinance involved and question (s) propounded.)
Attach additional sheets/exhibits, if necessary.

Form No. 1D

*****	******	APPLICATI				*****	*****
Prop. Affected: MAP(S)		BLOCK(S)LOT(			T(S)		
OWNER:		_ADDRESS:		PHONE:			
REPRESENTED BY:		RELATIONSHIP:_		PHONE:			
APPLICAT Signs_	TION MADE FO	R: New Sign_	Addnl (	Sign	Replace	ement Sign_	Number of
APPLICAT	TION: By Right_	For Varia	ance	REVI	EWS RE	QUIRED: Zo	O DR ZB PB
PROPERTY	Y IS: Improved_	Unimprov	edC	orner	Interior	Thru	Other
ZONING D	DISTRICT:			PI	RESENT	USE:	
PROPOSEI	D USE:						
	FACADE: Dim						
		EXIS	STING SI	GN(S)			
Number	Dimensions	Area Sq. Ft.	Colors	%of F	acade	Location	_
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EXACT VI	ERBAGE OF EA	.CH SIGN:					
LETTERIN	IG STYLE:						

### PROPOSED SIGN(S)

Number	Dimensions	Area Sq. Ft.			
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EXACT VE	RBAGE OF EAC	H SIGN:			
SIGN CONS	STRUCTION: Fra	me:	]	Background:	
Letters:		Mountings	S:		
SIGN TYPE					HangingOther
CONSTRUC	CTION PERMIT				NO
ZONING OI	FFICE: APPROV	ED DISAPP	ROVED	DEFERRED	CONTINUED
REASON:_					
ZONING OI	FFICER'S SIGNA	TURE:			
	EVIEW: APPROV				
REASON: _					

Form PNH94-1	File No
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### NOTICE OF HEARING TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Date:
Γο Whom It May Concern:
Notice is hereby given that on theday of, 20at 7:30 PM local time, a public hearing will be held before the Merchantville Planning Board at the Borough Hall, Maple Ave and Centre St., Merchantville, NJ, on the application of the undersigned at which time and place all interested persons will be given the opportunity to be heard.
Nature of the appeal or application (give detailed information):
A copy of the application and exhibits are on file at the Borough Hall for inspection during normal work hours at least 10 days before hearing date.
Location of premises:Block(s):Lot(s):
Signature of Appellant or Applicant)

Form	PN94-1	File No.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given the on the public hearing will be held before the Borough Hall, Maple Ave and Centre (Applicant(s) Name)	Planning Board	of the Boro	ough of Merchantville at the
for a variance from Article (s)	Section	n (s)	of the
Zoning Ordinance of the Borough of			
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This variance is sought on Block(s)			Lot(s)
located at			, Merchantville, NJ.
All interested parties will be given an			
exhibits are on file at the Borough Ha			
days before the date of the hearing.	1	J	2 ,

### NOTICE OF HEARING TO CLERK OF ADJACENT COMMUNITY

TO: MUNICIPAL CLERK of (address)	
****PLEASE TAKE NOTICE***	**
That (Applicant(s) Name) undersigned, has made application to the Planning Board of the Boro	, the ough of Merchantville, NJ,
for relief from Article(s) Section(s)  Merchantville Zoning Ordinance	of the
to permit	
at (Location of Property)	
at (Location of Property)	lall, Maple Ave and Centre
Applicant's Signature	

Form PCPB94-1	File No.

### NOTICE OF HEARING TO COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

TO: CAMDEN COUNTY PLANNING BOARD CHARLES J. DE PALMA COMPLEX 2311 EGG HARBOR ROAD LINDENWOLD, NJ 08021

PLEASE TA	AKE NOTICE:		
That		, the undersigned, has appl	ied to the
Merchantvill	le Planning Board for relief	from	
to permit			
at			
Lot	,Block	,	of
which prope	erty fronts upon a county roa	nd, or adjoins owned property, or is within	two (200) feet
of a municip	oal boundary. A hearing in the	his matter will be held on	,20, at
the Borough 40:55D-12.	Hall in Merchantville. This	s notice is given pursuant to the provision	s of NJSA
		Applicant(s) Signatur	re

### AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF SERVICE

PROOF OF SERVICE OF NOTICES REQUIRED BY STATUE MUST BE FILED AND VERIFIED WITH BOROUGH CLERK AT LEAST 2 DAYS PRIOR TO MEETING DATE OR CASE WILL NOT BE HEARD.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY	
COUNTY OF	)SS
	, of full age, being duly sworn accordings
to law, deposes and says, that (s)he r	
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in the municipality of	, County of
and State of	that (s)he is (are) the applicant(s) in a
proceeding before Merchantville Pla	, County of, that (s)he is (are) the applicant(s) in a, nning Board, Merchantville, New Jersey, being an appeal or
application under the Zoning Ordina	nce, and which has the Case Noand relates to
premises	that on,20, he gave written ion to each and all of the persons upon whom service must
	ording to the attached lists, and in the manner indicated
thereon.	
Applicant(s) Name	
Applicant(s) Name	
Sworn to and Subscribed for me	
this day of	20
(NOTE TO APPLICANT: Attach lis	st of all persons served)